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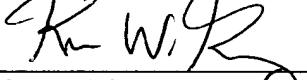
Sir:

The undersigned attorney for the applicants of the above-identified application requests a written indication of the status of processing of this application.

A postcard receipt returned to the undersigned shows the Patent Office received the Preliminary Amendment and a check for \$51.00 to cover extra claims on July 28, 2003.

The last correspondence received from the U.S. Patent Office dated May 8, 2003, projected that the application would be examined within seven to ten months. No further communication has been received for this matter.

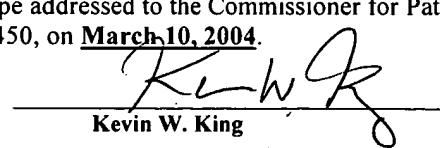
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